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#### **NEW APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL**

Transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application of

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For (title): METHODS AND APPARATUS FOR DISPLAYING MULTIPLE DATA CATEGORIES

#### **CERTIFICATION UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.10**

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#### 1. Type of Application

This new application is for a(n)

(check one applicable item below)

[X]	Original (nonprovisional)
[]	Design
	Plant
[]	Divisional.
[]	Continuation.
[]	Continuation-in-part (C-I-P).

2.	Benef	it of Prior U.S. Application(s) (35 U.S.C. 119(e), 120, or 121)
	[]	The new application being transmitted claims the benefit of prior U.S. application(s). Enclosed are ADDED PAGES FOR NEW APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL WHERE BENEFIT OF PRIOR U.S. APPLICATION(S) CLAIMED.
3.	Paper	rs Enclosed
	<b>A.</b>	Required for Filing Date under 37 C.F.R. 1.53(b) (Regular) or 37 C.F.R. 1.153 (Design) Application
		15 Pages of Specification 5 Pages of Claims 4 Sheets of Drawings having 7 Figures  [X] Formal  [ ] Informal
	В.	Other Papers Enclosed
		1 Page of Abstract Other
		(complete the following, if applicable)
	[]	The enclosed drawing(s) are photograph(s), and there is also attached a "PETITION TO ACCEPT PHOTOGRAPH(S) AS DRAWING(S)." 37 C.F.R. 1.84(b).
4.	Addit	ional Papers Enclosed
	[] [] [] [] [] [] [X] [X]	Preliminary Amendment Information Disclosure Statement (37 C.F.R. 1.98) Form PTO-1449 (PTO/SB/08A and 08B) Citations Declaration of Biological Deposit Submission of "Sequence Listing," computer readable copy and/or amendment pertaining thereto for biotechnology invention containing nucleotide and/or amino acid sequence. Authorization of Attorney(s) to Accept and Follow Instructions from Representative Special Comments Other: 1 Page of Application Data Sheet Other: 1 Return Postcard

	5.	Decla	ration o	r Oath			
		[X]	Enclos Execu				
				(check all applicable boxes)			
			[X] [ ] [ ]	inventor(s). legal representative of inventor(s). 37 CFR 1.42 or 1.43. joint inventor or person showing a proprietary interest on behalf of inventor who refused to sign or cannot be reached.  [ ] This is the petition required by 37 CFR 1.47 and the statement required by 37 CFR 1.47 is also attached. See item 13 below for fee.			
1		[]	Not Er	nclosed.			
H W. H.			[]	Application is made by a person authorized under 37 C.F.R. 1.41(c) on behalf of all the above named inventor(s).			
		(	The decl	aration or oath, along with the surcharge required by 37 CFR 1.16(e), can be filed subsequently).			
				[ ] Showing that the filing is authorized.  (not required unless called into question. 37 CFR 1.41(d))			
	6.	Inven	torship :	Statement			
- -	The in	The inventorship for all the claims in this application are:					
		[X]	The sa	or			
		[]	the las	e same. An explanation, including the ownership of the various claims at the time at claimed invention was made, is submitted.  will be submitted.			
	7.	Lang	uage				
		[X]	Englis Non-E				
			[]	The attached translation includes a statement that the translation is accurate. 37 C.F.R. 1.52(d).			

	8.	Assign	ment						
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## **10.** Fee Calculation (37 C.F.R. 1.16)

A. [X] Regular application

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C	laims	Number Filed	Basic Fee Allowance		Rate	Basic Fee 37 C.F.R. 1.16(a) \$710.
	Claims FR 1.16(d	e)) 27	- 20 =	x	\$\$18.00=\$126.00	)
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				Filing Fee Calculati	on \$	836.00
	В.	[ ] Design app (\$330.00—37 CFR		Filing Fee Calculati	on \$	
	C.	[ ] Plant appli (\$540.00—37 CFR		Filing Fee Calculati	on \$	
11.	Small 1	Entity Statement(s)				
	[]	attached.		g by a small entity following, if applicab		and 1.27 is (are)
	[]		, filed o	ned in prior application r:		benefit is being
		35 U.S.C. § [ ]	119(e),			

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			[ ] 121, [ ] 365(c),	
		and w	hich status as a small entity is still proper and des	ired.
		[]	A copy of the statement in the prior application	is included.
		Filing	Fee Calculation (50% of A, B or C above)	\$
12.	Reque	est for Iı	nternational-Type Search (37 C.F.R. 1.104(d))	
			(complete, if applicable)	
	[]		e prepare an international-type search report for nal examination on the merits takes place.	r this application at the time when
13.	Fee P	ayment	Being Made at This Time	,
	[]	Not E	nclosed	
		[]	No filing fee is to be paid at this time. (This and the surcharge required by 37 C.F.R.	1.16(e) can be paid subsequently.)
	[X]	Enclo	sed	
		[X]	Filing fee	\$836.00
		[X]	Recording assignment (\$40.00; 37 C.F.R. 1.21(h)) (See attached "COVER SHEET FOR ASSIGNMENT ACCOMPANYING NEW APPLICATION.")	\$40.00
		[]	Petition fee for filing by other than all the inventors or person on behalf of the inventor where inventor refused to sign or cannot be reached (\$130.00; 37 C.F.R. 1.47 and 1.17(i))	\$
		[]	For processing an application with a specification in a non-English language (\$130.00; 37 C.F.R. 1.52(d) and 1.17(k))	\$
		[]	Processing and retention fee (\$130.00; 37 C.F.R. 1.53(d) and 1.21(l)) Page 6 of 8	\$

		[]	Fee for international-type search report (\$40.00; 37 C.F.R. 1.21(e))	\$		
NOTE:	application	on pursual obtain the	ablishes a fee for processing and retaining any application that is aband nt to 37 CFR 1.53(f) and this, as well as the changes to 37 CFR 1.53 be benefit of a prior U.S. application, either the basic filing fee must 21(l) must be paid, within 1 year from notification under § 53(f).	and 1.7	8(a)(1), indicate that is	n
			Total Fees Enclosed	\$	876.00	
14.	Method	d of Pay	ment of Fees		,	
	[]	Check	in the amount of \$	4		
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15.	Author	rization 1	to Charge Additional Fees			
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		[X]	37 C.F.R. 1.16(a), (f) or (g) (filing fees)			
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		[]	37 CFR 1.17(a)(1)-(5) (extension fees pursuant to § 1.136	6(a).		
		[]	37 C.F.R. 1.17 (application processing fees)			

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